



Status Report on AoA Evaluation and Statistical Initiatives

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AoA Planning Scheme



- Mission and Vision: Elder Independence and Dignity in the Community
- Strategic Priorities, Principles and Goals (LTC):
 - Improved Access
 - Active and Healthy Elders
 - Support to Families
 - Protection of Rights and Dignity
 - **Program Integration**
 - Evidence-Based Programs
 - **©** Consumer Choice and Control
- Measures: Efficiency, Outcomes, Targeting
- Program Objectives
- Program Activities: AoA, State, Local, Resource Centers, etc.



SOME SUCCESS



- PART Score of 81
- President's Budget
- OMB Approval of Revised SPR
- Statistical Analysis,
 Studies, Surveys, R&D
 Projects underway
- Improved Partnerships with States and AAAs





Effort Produces Results



- AoA Featured in the President's Budget
- Improved PART Score
- All Green on PMA Scorecard
- Can Demonstrate Increased Productivity for Measured Programs
- 88% of Caregivers Say OAA Services Help Them Care Longer
- **30% of OAA Clients are Nursing Home Eligible**
- Title III Efficiency Increased Each Year Since 1999
- Broad Support of Program Development Efforts





Challenges Remain



- **Data Improvements**
- ContinuedImplementation ofRevised SPR
- **Focused Evaluations**
- Improved Measures
- More Rigorous Analysis
- Improved Data Dissemination
- Data Warehouse?



Work In Progress



- National Surveys
- AAA Survey
- New POMP
- State Reporting Tool
- Program Information Management Study
- **©** Census Data
- Program Evaluations
- Data Integration Project







National Surveys

- First and Second National Surveys
 - Analysis of First on GPRA.NET Site
 - Result of the Second to be released soon
 - **Very High Satisfaction Rates**
 - Interesting Differences Regarding Caregivers

Third National Survey

- Fewer Surveys, Larger Samples
- Sub-national Data Sought
- Caregivers, HDM and Transportation (w/other mods)
- Major Source of GPRA/PART Analysis
- Major Data Source for Title III-B Evaluation
- Data Collection Complete; Analysis in progress







- Surveyed All 655 AAAs About:
 - Funding sources ~~ Staffing and clients
 - **☞ I and A** ~~ Case management
 - Partner agencies ~~ Single-entry points
 - ## HPDP ~~ Challenges to integration
- Over 80% response
- Preliminary Data Available
- Plan to Add Other Modules in Future Years
- Plan for Similar Survey of States



New POMP



Transition Year for POMP

- **©** Continue Reduced Standard POMP
- Initiate Advanced POMP

Standard POMP

- Recipient-Based Surveys (not service-based)
- New Service Provider Survey
- Adjust the focus of the POMP Web site

Advanced POMP

- New Method to Quantify Program Impact
- Associate Impact to Program Costs





State Reporting Tool

- Software to Edit and Transmit SPR to AoA
- Replaces SPRDIA and Sverify
- Vendor Used by Many States: SYNERGY
- Product Increases State Flexibility
 - **WEB Version and Install Version for States**
 - **XML** and Dbase Formats
- Successfully Released in 2005
- On-Line Training and TA Provided
- National Version for AoA use being developed



Program Information Study



- Improve Data Management Network Wide to:
 - **Telestrick** Identify Common Data Needs
 - **Eliminate Duplicate Reporting by Seniors**
 - Unduplicated Counts through System Upgrades
 - **Realize Economies of Scale with Competition**
- Data collection complete
- Preliminary data highlights available







- Special Tabulation on Aging 2000
 - Data Tables on: income, poverty, disabilities, race and ethnicity, education, etc.
 - Data for States, PSAs, Counties, Cities, Other Places, and Census Tracts
 - **Excel Format**
 - Sent to States, AAAs
 - Available on AoA web site
- **☞** ACS Tabulation 2003, 2004
 - Significant State Data for Non-Census Year
 - Detailed Tables of Characteristics by Age
 - Will Be Available in Excel and PowerPoint
- Future ACS Tabulations as ACS replaces the Decennial "Long Form" sample data







- III-D (Disease Prevention and Health Promotion) complete;
- III-B (Supportive Services) has partial results available
- Nutrition Programs/Native American programs evaluation soon to be underway
- Research Questions Based on AoA SP and PART
- AoA Staff Involvement Pre and Post Contracting
- Generate Broad-Based Information to Support Program Improvement and Development within AoA and Throughout the Network
- Major Emphasis Will Be on Dissemination
 - **Evaluation Studies Web Site**
 - Fact Sheets for Studies



Data Integration Project



- Integrate AoA Data Sets:
 - SPR, NORS, Census, National Surveys, AAA Survey, Financial Data
- Annual and Ad Hoc Analysis of Integrated Data
- Data for New, Integrated Performance Measures
- Development of New AoA Data Dissemination Capabilities, esp. Internet-Based
- Forms the Basis for a Aging Data Warehouse